

The FOUR HORSEMEN OF THE APOCALYPSE

AN UNSOLICITED TRIBUTE FROM FANNIE HURST, AUTHOR OF "HUMORESQUE"

My Dear Mr. Rowland:
Metro Pictures Corporation.

I came away so thrilled and moved by THE FOUR HORSEMEN OF THE APOCALYPSE that I had the same feeling I experienced the first and only time I saw Sarah Bernhard. I didn't want to go home, but to walk miles and miles under the spell of what I had seen. I may seem a bit superlative in my appreciation of this film but to me it amounts to a climax in the entire history of the screen. Last night marked a birthday. The eighth muse had come of age. Mr. Ingram, Miss Mathis, Mr. Ibanez, every one in fact connected with the masterpiece, is to be congratulated to weave that enormous story into a tapestry the size of a motion picture screen, and at the same time to keep its integrity of form, purpose and beauty is artistry raised to the nth power.

I'm a rather querulous picture goer, not half satisfied with conditions, but seeing the "Four Horsemen" has renewed my faith in the enormous potentialities of the screen.

Sincerely yours,
(Signed) FANNIE HURST

STAR TO SHOW CHILD ACTOR

Grandson of C. W. Shurtz Appears With Will Rogers in "The Poor Relation."

"He's got no tobacco in his old tobacco box"—Nearly every one has heard the dreamy, sing-song melody, which Will Rogers uses to lull his kiddies to sleep with in "A Poor Relation."



lation," a Goldwyn Picture, coming to the Star Theatre Sunday, Dec. 31.

One of the hardest bits of acting for children is the sleeping scene. The little eyelids will flutter open. Rogers gathers up the little ones in this picture, and so realistically does he make them feel the soothing effect of his crooning voice, that the children put over their little scene like experienced actors. If the audience will watch, the words of the old song as Rogers sings it are easily discernable.

The remarkable acting of the children, Robert DeVillibus as "Rip" and Jeanette Trebaol as "Patch" has caused many favorable comments among reviewers and critics.

Certified Potatoes—Grow 'Em

How can certified seed potatoes be produced? This question coming from all sections of the state will be answered during part of the farm crops work given in the winter short course next January. The agricultural college has been encouraging the production of better kinds of potatoes and there will be a series of lectures showing how to do this work. Special emphasis will be placed on the control of troublesome diseases.

Many farmers are handicapped by lack of storage facilities for their potatoes. Believing that an expensive storing place is essential they frequently do not provide storage when in many instances it could be made very conveniently out of materials already at hand. The potato storage problem as well as the grading and marketing of potatoes will be a feature of the crop work in the winter short course at the agricultural college next January.

Christmas Mail Is Heavy.

There was an unusually large amount of Christmas mail to be handled through the Heppner postoffice this season, and for two or three days Postmaster Simard and his officers were literally swamped by outgoing and incoming parcels. This would seem to indicate that the people generally had plenty of money to spend during the Christmas season.

The Boy Scouts will be entertained at a dinner to be given at the home of Scoutmaster W. O. Livingstone on Friday at 12 M. All Scouts of troop No. 1 of Heppner are expected to be present.

Dr. John Huston and wife of Portland were in Heppner over Christmas, enjoying a visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Huston. They returned to Portland Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Bortzer of Hood River, are guests this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tash in this city, Mrs. Tash being the daughter of Mrs. Bortzer.

Charles Chick, student at University of Oregon, arrived home on Sunday to spend the holidays with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Chick.

A. E. Wright, extensive stockman and rancher of the Hardman section, was down to Heppner on Saturday to look after business matters.

Claud Sigebus, who is employed in a bakery in Portland this winter, was home for a few days this week on a visit to his folks.

Thoroughbred S. C. Brown Leghorn roosters for sale at \$2.50 each. W. B. Tucker, Lexington. 4t.

L. P. Davidson, county commissioner was in the city on Saturday from his home at Lone.

Miss Dorothy Chase of Seattle is a guest for the holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Gemmill.

sleep second.

Mae Smith of Heppner was a busy man around Cecil on Thursday and Friday bringing several horses down to the Last Camp. Before leaving Mae had the good grace to wave his weather wand over Cecil and fine warm weather has since been our lot. We are getting up a petition to have Mae and his Big Injun Chief put on the weather bureau once more.

Mrs. Mary Nash arrived in Cecil from Portland on Sunday. After visiting her friends in Cecil for a day or two, Mrs. Nash left for Four Mile where she will visit at the home of her son-in-law, Leon Logan, for some time.

Mrs. Geo. Henriksen and daughter Miss Mildred of Strawberry ranch and Miss Violet Blodford, teacher of Rhea Sliding, left on Saturday morning for Canby where they will all spend the festive season.

Geo. Brandes left on Monday for Gresham where he will look after his brother Alex's ranch while Alex crosses the briny ocean for his bride. Good wishes are extended to the happy pair.

Miss Ruth May, student of Lincoln high school of Portland, arrived in Cecil on Friday and will visit with her parents at Lone Star ranch during the vacation.

We noticed Karl Troedson of Lone and Ed Buckman and B. Jusky of Heppner chasing jack rabbits among the snow and sage brush near Cecil on Sunday.

Mrs. Phil Brady and son, Master Minor, of Athlone Cottage left for Portland on Friday where they will spend Xmas with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Minor.

A Merry Xmas and Happy and Prosperous New Year to all readers of Cecil Items is the best wish the writer of them has to give to all.

Roy Chandler of Lebanon arrived at the home of his parents at Willow Creek ranch on Thursday and will visit for a short time.

John Krebs of the Last Camp left on Tuesday for a well earned rest which he will take at the home of his parents in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Chandler of Willow Creek ranch, near Cecil, are to spend their Xmas holidays with friends in Lebanon.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Curtis left on Saturday morning for Grand Dalles to spend the Xmas holidays with their friends.

Dwight Misner of Daybreak ranch and daughter, Mrs. Fred Manikin and

infant were doing business in Lone on Friday.

Tom Logan of Four Mile and Walter Pope of Cecil were looking up their friends in Arlington during the week.

Robert Lowe, student at Benson Polytechnic, Portland, is spending his holidays in Cecil among his old pals.

Miss Mildred Henriksen of Strawberry ranch entertained a party of her friends at dinner Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. May of Lone Star ranch were calling on Mrs. Geo. Krebs at the Last Camp on Friday.

Mrs. Jack Hynd of Heppner, is rustivating at Butterby Flats for a few days during the holidays.

H. J. Streeter is a busy man these days unloading a car of wood for Cecil school house.

Miss Crystal Roberts of Ewing is spending her vacation with friends at Lone Rock.

Miss A. C. Lowe and brother Bob were taking in the sights of Lone on Friday.

E. S. Duran was in the city for a short time from his home at Lexington on Wednesday, and this office acknowledges a pleasant call from him.

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STAR THEATER

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 29th
HERBERT RAWLINGS in
"THE MAN UNDER COVER"

The thrilling, breath-taking adventure of a red-blooded heman, who had to play crooked in order to play straight. Also BUFFALO BILL.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 30th
VIOLA DANA in
"THEY LIKE 'EM ROUGH"

A hilarious comedy with a cave-man lover and a head-strong girl, in which it is proved that love is no respecter of persons.

Also BUSTER KEATON in "HARD LUCK"

a riot of hilarious mishaps where the sad-faced comedian's attempt to end his many troubles always brings new ones.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 31st
WILL ROGERS in
"A POOR RELATION"

From the famous stage play by Edward E. Kidder. Besides Will Rogers, you will see Sylvia Breamer, Molly Malone, and the remarkable children, DeVillibus and Jeanette Trebaol, in this picture, and the children do themselves quite as proud as their famous grown-up companions. Will Rogers turns the dark cloud out and shows the world its silver lining. You will laugh and cry and be stirred to the very depths of your heart.

Also a Comedy and Movie Chats.

Here is certainly a program that will keep you awake to see the Old Year out and the New Year in.



MONDAY AND TUESDAY, JANUARY 1st AND 2nd
"THE GLORIOUS FOOL"

Not every patient is as lucky in his choice of nurses as Richard Dix. Helene Chadwick is the prettiest nurse that ever tucked bobbed hair under a white hat. The sort of picture that will make you forget there is such a thing as time. From the story by Mary Roberts Rinehart.

Also "SPORT REVIEW"—Winter Peep—Ski-ing, tobogganing, bob-sledding in slow motion and normal.

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The Spirit of Christmas is the ideal in the absolute, but quite often it carries with it hardships to men of families and brings them face to face with their own shortcomings and failures to substantially build structures of supply for those they love.

Maybe such hours have been yours—and maybe right at this moment you realize the necessity of changing your course. It is never too late, you know.

If so, we feel we are conferring a service in again calling your attention to the fundamentals of peace and plenty which, briefly, are Vision and Thrift.

Vision is the understanding that all is well with our ever-progressing world. Thrift is a common sense conservation of our talents—which may be labor or money.

After all, money is only stored-up labor. So to save money is to intelligently store up labor—to distribute or equalize it over the span of life.

The New Year is at hand—not to dissipate on idle resolutions which will never be kept. On the other hand—a sincere desire to build up an independence for your loved ones and your own old age, will be its own resolution.

This institution wishes you success in such resolves and stands in Heppner ready to serve you in fulfillment of such worthy endeavor.

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